



REPRESENT

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Dear Teacher,

Represent is back with a new look and fresh content!

In **Represent**, we take complex ideas of the world or technical grammar rules and make them accessible and relevant for lower secondary students. **Represent** is an innovative teaching-learning tool that presents learning and assessment in a fun and creative way. The goal of the magazine is to help students improve their language skills and inculcate a love for reading and writing.

Our team has closely designed the magazine to the GCE 'O' Level examination, focusing on different skills such as **writing, comprehension, grammar, vocabulary** and **oral communication**. Each issue consists of a captivating cover story and innovative **"Try it!"** exercises for students to put what they have learned into practice! Articles will always cover a range of topics such as identity, society, science and technology, and media. Join us as we reinvent what learning can be for our youth.

- The Think Tank Team

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GRAMMAR

TEXT EDIT

**Refugee Team
at The Olympics**

**World
News
2016**

TRY IT: Choice between two words



The Olympics' first-ever refugee team marched proudly into the opening ceremony at the Maracanã Stadium in August this year. The ten athletes waving the Olympic flag _____ (has/had) been selected from Syria, South Sudan, Ethiopia and Congo and trained by a special support group backed by the International Olympics Committee. The committee's actions _____ (is/are) an important statement to the world that refugees deserve to be _____ (treat/treated) with equal opportunities and respect.

ORAL COMMUNICATION

Pronunciation 101

| Singlish | Standard English |
|--------------------|------------------|
| “f” vs “fh” | |
| Life and deaf | Life and death |
| “f” vs “th” | |
| Tank you | Thank you |



A tip to pronounce “th” properly is to make sure that **the tip of your tongue is between your teeth.**

VOCABULARY

6 ways to express **ANGER**

words

annoyed
slightly angry, irritated
(when you feel like rolling your eyes)

outraged
feeling of fierce anger or shock
(when you feel like screaming at somebody)

livid
enraged, furiously angry
(when you feel like punching somebody)

idioms

He made me see red

He drove me up the wall

I blew my top